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FOT: MURINE ALPHA (1,3)
FUCOSYLTRANSFERASE FUC-TVII,
DNA ENCODING THE SAME,
METHOD FOR PREPARING THE
SAME, ANTIBODIES RECOGNIZING
THE SAME, IMMUNOASSAYS FOR
DETECTING THE SAME, PLASMIDS
CONTAINING SUCH DNA, AN CELLS
CONTAINING SUCH PLASMID

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In response to the Office Action mailed June 26, 2006, Applicants submit the following response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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